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WHOLE NO. 3778

Russian Fleet Is Already Mobilized in the Black Sea.

### British Warships With Others to Gather in Aegean.

(By Federal Wireless relegraph.)
LONDON, January 9.—(Special to The Advertiser)-The Bussian Black Sea fleet was mobilized today in preparation for the naval demonstration which is projected by the European Powers in the event of it being found necessary to appear to coerce Turkey.

If the demonstration should be car ried out, the Russian vessels will probably appear in the Gulf of Iniada, on the Black Sea, seventy-six miles to the northeast of Adrianople, while the ships of the Powers will gather in Besika, on the coast of Asia Minor near the en-trance to the Dardanelles.

Such a demonstration, it is believed, would make easier the Turkish govern-ment's task of surrendering to the demands of the Allies, as it could then plead coercion.

AMBASSADORS TO HELP.

(By Federal Wiresess Telegraph.) LONDON, January 9.—(Special to The Advertiser)—The progress toward resumption of the peace negotiations here is slow. It may, however, be accelerated after the meeting at the foreign office of the European ambassa. dors, who are expected to agree on united action which they hope may put an end to the deadlock, in the event that intervention should become neces

ON STARVATION RATIONS. (By Federal Wireless Telegraph.)
BELGRADE, Servia, January 9. (Brown to The Advertiser) - Fugitives from the Fortress of Adrianople who have reached the Servian camp in front of that city, report that the only food

obtainable inside the walls is bread.

The rations distributed to inhabitants and soldiers have now been reduced to four ounces per day per person.

## THREE ARE BURNED

Fatal Fire in San Francisco Also Injures Twenty and Many Are Missing.

(By Federal Wireless Telegraph.) SAN FRANCISCO, January 9 .- (Special to The Advertiser)-Three men were burned to death and more than twenty persons were injured, ten of them seriously, in a fire which started in the San Pedro Hotel, at Howard street and the Embarcadero, and spread to the Maritime Hotel adjoining, at

four e clock this morning.

The bodies of the three men taken from the ruins are so badly charred that identification at the morgue is impos-sible and as the register of the hotel was burned it will be several days before the identity of the men will be es-

Several lodgers are unaccounted for and the firemen are keeping up the search for other bodies.

### WILL SHOOT TO KILL.

CHICAGO, January 9 .- (By Associated Press Cable to Star-Bulletin)-The police authorities, driven to action by the increase in the number of auto banits, have organized a flying taxicab squadron, composed of picked men from the department. Each policeman will be armed with a rifle and will have ord-- to shoot down on eight any nuto-thief he may find at work.

### CUMPETITIVE TARIFF NOW UNDERWOOD'S **GOAL IN CONGRESS**

WASHINGTON, January 10 .-(My Associated Press Cable) -- Chairman Coderwood of the ways and means committee of the which is conducting the taxiff hear's ingo, has issued a statement to the a effect that it will be the objective and the committee to formulate a starief hill which will provide a summerfaller taxiff thebughant all of a He actualistics. It is todicined that this evening a printerale reduction the assembly of the present



SERVIAN TROOPS DURING ACTUAL FIGHTING IN THEIR TRENCHES

## CONTEMPT CASE MAY

Congress Takes Action Toward Investigation of the Nationals.

(Br Federal Wireless Telegraph.) WAARLAGTON, January 9. — (Spe cial to The Advertiscr)-The question whether the house m ney trust committee can investigate the affairs of national banks was started on its way to Connaught, wire of the Governor Genthe courts today when the banking and eral of Canach, who, according to an the courts today when the banking and currency committee unanimously voted to certify to Speaker Clark for contempt, George G. Heavy, of Saloman and Company, New York bankers, who refused to tell the money trust committee the names of twenty-four officers and members of national banks who made \$50,000 out of a syndicate to market California Petroleum stock.

"Her Royal Highness, the Duchess of Connaught, has stood the journey from Ottawa pretty well and now is resting as comfortably as could be expected. made \$50,000 out of a syndrock. Ottawa pretty wen and not a market California Petroleum stock.

The speaker presented the certification as comfortably as could be expected. (Signed) E. L. Worthington." to certify the facts to the States attorney for the District of Columbia, with authority to proceed with a criminal action involving fine or imprisonment.

The case ultimatedly involves the right of congress to compel testimony connection with its legislative af-

### STEAMER IS SAVED ONCE, BUT SINKS TRYING FOR PORT

(By Federal Wireless Telegraph.) HALIFAX, Nova Scotia, January 9 -(Special to The Advertiser)-The British steamship Evelyn sank today at the entrance to Louisburg harbor. Her

erew of thirty three was saved. The Evelyn, bound from Bremen for Sayannah, ran ashore yesterday at St. Esperite, during a storm. The crew suc-ceeded in getting her off and were try-ing to reach Lauisburg, when she sud-denly collapsed and went down.

### WILL CONTEST SEAT OF CONGRESSMAN KEN

(By Federal Wireless Telegraph.) WASHINGTON, January 9.—(Special

to The Advertiser)—Notice of contest against Representative Kent, reclected from the first California district on the Progressive ticket, was filed today by the Democratic candidate.

The contestant alleges Representative Kent spent \$50,000 to accure his election, to violation of the low limiting expenditures of candidates, and fulled to make a correct report of his failed to make a correct report of his

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> MARINE TIDINGS By Kahuku Witsless.

The Duchess of Connaught Is Taken to Hospital INVOLVE MANY BANKS Special Train Garries Wife of Governor-General

> Bulletin Issued By Physician States Her Highness Is Resting Easily.

> (By Federal Wireless Telegraph ) MONTREAL, January 9. - (Special to The Advertiser)-The Duchess of



DUCHESS OF CONNAUGHT,

### SUFFRAGETTES GIVEN LONG JAIL SENTENCES

(By Federal Wireless Telegraph.) LONDON, January 9. - (Special to The Advertiser)-Long sentences were passed today on two of the militant suffragettes, many of whom in recent \* months have engaged in a campaign of \*

destruction of the mails,
May Billinghurst and Louis Agay, two of the first to be arrested in con-nection with these outrages, were condemned to eight months imprisonment

### REOSEVELT ADVISES NO MERGER OF PROGRESSIVES

NEW YORK, January 9 .- (By As sociated Press Cable to Star-Bulletin) -Roosevelt, in a formal statement is-

## AND MANY KILLED

MORILE, Alabama, January 10 \* -(By Associated Press Cable) - \*

A retrible accident happened as \*

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## DUEL WITH SWORDS IS SIMPLY EXCITING

(By Federal Wireless Telegraph.) \*
HAVANA, Cuba, January 9. \*
—(Special to The Advertiser)— \* Colonel Orestes Herrara, speaker of the house of representa-tives, and Miguel Coyula, of the editorial staff of La Lucha, fought a duel with swords yesterday. Neither was injured seriously. The duel was the outcome of certain strictures on olerel Herrara published by La

### WOMAN ORDERED KILLED FOR SMOKING OPIUM

SHANGHAI, China, January 9.—(By Associated Press Cable to Star-Balle-tin)—The governor of this province to-day ordered the execution of a woman sued today, warns the Progressive party tin)-The governor of this province tosued today, warms the Progressive party tin)—The governor of this province to in the United States that there will day ordered the execution of a woman be efforts on the part of the older part addicted to the smoking of opium. She brary will be open week days, for the ties to form alliances with the new or had been we need several times that she calculating library, from nine in the library on to Washties to form alliances with the new organization wherever that party proved itself strong in the last election.

He advises the local leaders of the Progressives not to pay heed to the call to jois the forces of either the Demogration of the government of the action of the government of the difficulty they are laying in their efforts to stamp out the

Inusual Occurrence Takes Place in Exposition City When "Beautiful" Falls.

(By Federal Wireless Telegraph.) PAN FRANCISCO, January 9 .- (Spe ial to The Advertiser) - For the third time in seventeen years snow fell in San Francisco today, in practically every part of the city, but especially on the higher levels. On Twin Peaks and on Russ an and

Telegraph Hills the fall was consider able, and for a time stendy, although the snow melted about as fast as it reached the ground.

CAPTAINED BY DEAD MEN.

Federal Wireless Tenegraph. ASTORIA, Oregon, January 9 .- (Spe tial to The Advertiser) -A wireless from the tug Oneotins this morning was to the effect that she had taken the lifesaving crew and two survivors the steamer Rosecrans from the

ightship and is en route to this city.

The lifeboat at the stern of the lightship, containing the dead body of the seaman who died on the way to the lightship from the Rosecrans, broke loose during the night and disappeared.

## LIBRARY TO OPEN

Delay Due to Cataloging Books -President Lewis Upholds use of Hall.

Opening of the new Library of Hawaii on February 1, was decided upon it a meeting of the board of trustees at the final moment last evening. A resolu-

Alien, the librarian, stated to the board or trustees last night that it was physically impossible to open within four weeks, owing to delay in cataloging.

She advised against delaying this work own by opening the library, which would necessitate a portion of the staff being detailed to look after the circulating of the books to the patrons.

The question of the use of the lecture room was also brought up with the principal thing accomplished was the elimination of partisanship in municipal affairs.

"To ristance, take the City of Ho-

The question of the use of the lec-ture room was also brought up with reference to permission having been granted by President A. Lewis, Jr., to the civic federation for a meeting on the enarter revision next Tuesday even-

According to an interpretation of the dered faithful and efficient service. ples Mr. Lewis did not have the pow municipal government to be successful to do so between meetings, while on should be conducted in the same manhe other hand some of the trustees ner as n large business. were opposed to opening any part of the building to the public until the circulation library was ready for use,

orable to the applications. Furthermore, I can say of my own personal know-Mr. Lewis was of the opinion that as ledge that Woodrow Wilson believes as long as the lecture room was all ready I do.

"He is far from being a partisan in use and had been for some time,

He also stated in answer to one ar-gument that the civic federation was not a political organization, nor was the subject to be discussed political. It was educative and was a matter of vital tem.

"The sooner the citizens of Hono-

circulating library, from nine in the morning to nine at night, the reading toom open for an hour later. On Sundays the reading room only will be apon from one in the afternoon to nine at night.

### Arrangements Blade.

The children's room will be open every day, except Saturday, from inification in their efforts to atamp out the practise.

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ARMY DIVISIONS IN KOREA

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Arrangements Made.

The children's room will be open every day, except Saturday, from inification of the difficulty they are readers on the patrons of the library will be open to all the public. Cardholders are resomable for the books they take out. There will be for the books they take out. There will be for the books they take out. There will be for the books they take out. There will be for the books they take out. There will be for the marine railway site expired Device was given in advance for patrons.

Isadore Jacobs Compares Local Conditions With Those in San Francisco.

MERIT SYSTEM RIGHT ONE

Reports President-Elec: Wilson As Non-Partisan in Affairs Municipal.

Isadore Jacobs, president of the California Canneries Company, which is planning to erect a large plant in the slands, one of the most prominent Democrats in the West and a personal triend of President-elect Woodrow Wilson and Chairman McCombs, of the Democratic central committee, has beome interested in Honolulu's plans for a new city charter during his stay in

"I have been reading the reports of the controversy over the changes in the municipal officers with much interest," he said, last night. "Of course, it is presumption on my part, but as chairman of the Good Government League of San Francisco, I can say that we passed through the same conditions that you have in Honolulu.

"You will not be able to bring about permanent good government in your municipality until you entirely elimi-nate partisanship in your municipal

Citizenship Above Partisanship.

the final moment last evening. A resolution to this effect was passed and the assistants in the library will rush work to enable the public to use the beautiful building at the earliest opportunity. Although efforts have been made to have the new Library of Hawaii opened for use in the next two weeks, Miss Alien, the librarian, stated to the board of trustees last night that it was physical and the city's organic laws relating to elections.

"For instance, take the City of Ho-nolula. Why should a first-class fire chief he removed merely on account of the fact that he is not a member of the party in power. Merit alone should ing and for the Hawaiian Historical govern in the appointments to munici-Society to hold an anniversary meeting pal office. In business we would alm their own room tomorrow night.

Wilson for Civil Service.

the building to the public until the circulation library was ready for use,
President Lewis Endorsed.

President Lewis detended his stand
on the ground that both were emergen.

"Although, as a Democrat, I have been asked by citizens here for my opinion as to local affairs, I have refrained from expressing them hitherto.
But I will say that I am non-partisan y cases and his interpretation was fav- when it comes to municipal affairs, and

for use and had been for some that and the public, which put up the build, either municipal or national and the public, which put up the build, either municipal or national and ing, was clamoring for the use of the the question of efficient service comes up. He is strongly in favor of civil build room for public meetings, he saw up. He is strongly in favor of civil service reform, and of keeping the right man in the right place, and he is going to prove a big disappointment to those officerscekers who imagine he believes in the antiquated spoils sys-

> lulu recognize the importance of abolishing party lines in municipal affairs and municipal elections, the mooner will

> ington from San Francisco, as he is a member of the inauguration committee which will make the preparations for the fourth of March.

## MARINE BAILWAY'S

Press Cable to Star-Halletin)—it was an advance for patrons.

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